

AND NOW THE SHIPPING FORECAST ISSUED BY THE MET OFFICE, ON BEHALF OF THE MARITIME AND COASTGUARD AGENCY, AT 0015 ON TUESDAY 06 NOVEMBER 2007

THERE ARE WARNINGS OF GALES IN VIKING NORTH UTSIRE SOUTH UTSIRE FORTIES CROMARTY FORTH DOGGER FISHER GERMAN BIGHT HUMBER HEBRIDES BAILEY FAIR ISLE FAEROES AND SOUTHEAST ICELAND

THE GENERAL SYNOPSIS AT 1800  
ATLANTIC HIGH 1039 MOVING SLOWLY SOUTHEAST, INTENSIFYING 1041 BY 1800 TUESDAY. LOW SOUTHERN SWEDEN 1002 EXPECTED BALTIC 1001 BY SAME TIME. NEW LOW EXPECTED 300 MILES NORTH OF FAIR ISLE 990 BY THAT TIME

THE AREA FORECASTS FOR THE NEXT 24 HOURS

VIKING NORTH UTSIRE SOUTH UTSIRE FORTIES  
NORTHWESTERLY BACKING WESTERLY 6 TO GALE 8, OCCASIONALLY SEVERE GALE 9. ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH, OCCASIONALLY HIGH. SQUALLY SHOWERS THEN RAIN. MODERATE OR GOOD

CROMARTY FORTH TYNE  
NORTHWEST BACKING WEST 5 TO 7, OCCASIONALLY GALE 8 IN CROMARTY AND FORTH. MODERATE OR ROUGH, OCCASIONALLY VERY ROUGH IN CROMARTY. SHOWERS THEN RAIN. MODERATE OR GOOD

DOGGER FISHER GERMAN BIGHT  
NORTHWEST BACKING WEST 6 TO GALE 8, OCCASIONALLY SEVERE GALE 9. ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH, OCCASIONALLY HIGH. SQUALLY SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD

HUMBER THAMES  
NORTHWESTERLY 5 TO 7, OCCASIONALLY GALE 8 IN HUMBER. MODERATE OR ROUGH, OCCASIONALLY VERY ROUGH IN EAST. SQUALLY SHOWERS AT FIRST. MAINLY GOOD

DOVER WIGHT PORTLAND PLYMOUTH  
NORTHERLY BACKING WESTERLY 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6, DECREASING 3 OR 4. SLIGHT OR MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY ROUGH IN DOVER. SHOWERS AT FIRST. GOOD

BISCAY TRAFALGAR  
EAST OR NORTHEAST 4 OR 5. SLIGHT OR MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY ROUGH IN TRAFALGAR. FAIR. MODERATE OR GOOD

SOUTH FITZROY  
EAST OR NORTHEAST 5 TO 7. MODERATE OR ROUGH. FAIR. MODERATE OR GOOD

NORTH FITZROY SOLE  
VARIABLE OR EASTERLY 3 OR 4, OCCASIONALLY 5 IN NORTH FITZROY. SLIGHT OR MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY ROUGH. MAINLY FAIR. MODERATE OR GOOD

LUNDY FASTNET  
NORTHERLY VEERING WESTERLY 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6 AT FIRST. SLIGHT OR MODERATE. MAINLY FAIR. MAINLY GOOD

IRISH SEA SHANNON  
NORTHWESTERLY BACKING WESTERLY 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6. MODERATE OR ROUGH. SHOWERS. MAINLY GOOD

ROCKALL MALIN HEBRIDES  
WEST OR NORTHWEST 5 TO 7, OCCASIONALLY GALE 8 IN HEBRIDES. ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH. SHOWERS THEN RAIN. MODERATE OR GOOD

BAILEY  
NORTHWESTERLY BACKING SOUTHWESTERLY 6 TO GALE 8, OCCASIONALLY SEVERE

GALE 9. VERY ROUGH. RAIN OR SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD

FAIR ISLE FAEROES

NORTHWESTERLY, BACKING SOUTHWESTERLY FOR A TIME, 5 TO 7, OCCASIONALLY  
GALE 8, PERHAPS SEVERE GALE 9 LATER. ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH. SHOWERS  
THEN RAIN. GOOD BECOMING MODERATE

SOUTHEAST ICELAND

WESTERLY 6 TO GALE 8, OCCASIONALLY SEVERE GALE 9, PERHAPS STORM 10  
FOR A TIME LATER. ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH. RAIN OR SQUALLY SHOWERS.  
MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR